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EDITOR Baker is much exercised over the expenditure of \$300 for a fountain to be made of Marion County stone and to be placed in the Woman's Building at the Centennial. Now what we want is not a fountain stuck here and there, labeled "From Marion County, Tenn.," to be the laughing stock of the entire United States, but a galaxy, a symposium, or whatever you may call it, of all those things which are produced daily in Marion County, or can be produced, for the subsistence of its citizens. We want the useful first, and if there be any money left after these have been amply provided for, bring on your fountains and stick them anywhere—half a dozen on top of the Agricultural Building for instance to serve as an irrigation display from California. Fountains are all right in their place, but a few \$300 fountains would soon knock Marion County's display higher than a kite in full sail.

We confess to a disappointment at the withdrawal of the contest for the Governorship. After the claim and notice had been made we think it ought to have been pushed to its fullest extremity so that hereafter nothing of the kind charged could possibly happen. To have any one man as governor is of very little consequence when the name of the State is attained. So, therefore, we still believe the facts claimed should be investigated and the offenders whoever they may be, punished. No man can afford to hold an office, the title to which is disputed.

THE N. C. & S. L. R. R., is doing good to help build up the State and is bringing in people from other States all the time. Now we want some of these good people to come into the Sequachee Valley. We don't care at what point they begin because no place in the Valley can be helped without helping the rest. Come and look at the lands with good clay bottoms which to the practical farmer means a good deal.

The legislature in session seems to be taking hold of business fairly well. The chance for a constitutional convention seems good. Bills for the compulsory attendance of children at Public Schools and a local option law have been introduced which we hope will all pass.

WHILE Speaker Reed is opposing appropriations to be made at some future time on the ground that the country is now running in debt some 58 millions every year, the gold reserve is mounting up. What a curious state of affairs.

HENRI WATKINSON has not got over the election yet. But then he's been to Europe, ye know and wasn't in it. At present he is busy explaining how it happened and his P. O. address is Louisville, Ky.

The Nashville American is so anxious for the Centennial that it keeps tab on the number of days intervening before the opening of that grand symposium of natural and artificial curios.

How the various legislatures are socking it to the theatre girl and theatre hut! It is time that the dear ones left their traveling menageries at home, or else gave them to the Hottentots.

HON HARVEY H. HANNAH has been appointed Secretary to Governor Bob. How tickled he must be?

AND it is Governor Taylor again; but it will be his last appearance a la Cleveland.

The "Sage of Wolf's Creek" is the latest on ex-Governor Turney. Yes, very sage.

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W. H. Waddell Dead.

It is with peculiar sorrow that we chronicle the death of Hon. W. H. Waddell. His life's work had just begun and on its threshold he had made a name and a record worthy of his manly nature and character. We have known and studied him carefully for the three years we have lived in the county, and are proud to say that we found the elements of a bright and noble nature in him. He was firm in his convictions, generous in impulse and manly in his every action. We have lost a friend and the county one of its best citizens.

Mr. Waddell was taken with la Grippe three weeks ago but recovered apparently when exposure brought on a relapse which developed into pneumonia. He had wavered between life and death for a week past, fighting hard for health but it has been useless. Death came Thursday night at 7:30 and this bright young life so full of promise was blotted out and the soul winged its flight to its eternal home.

W. H. Waddell was born in Crittenden County, Ky., thirty-two years ago. The first seventeen years of his life was spent on a farm. He completed his education at Chapel Hill, Ky., and moved to Marion county in 1886, and studied law under Capt. Donaldson. He was elected to the legislature in 1893 and again in 1894, both times without opposition and made an enviable reputation as one of the brightest young members in the State—South Pittsburg Republican.

The above tells the story of W. H. Waddell's life just as well as one could wish. He was all that has been said for him and has made a record in this County, out of comparatively nothing, of which any one might well be proud.

Good for Marion.

We are glad to learn that the people interested in the new colony have examined the lands and are satisfied. We are told that the final arrangements to complete the sale will be made this week.

This is most encouraging to us. What Marion County wants now is people and a division of the lands. If the taxable value of the County can be raised from 3 millions to 10 millions, all will be the gainers and we can then have good schools, good roads, etc., which everybody wants.

The near proximity of the Swiss colony to the one contemplated ought to be a help as showing what thrift and industry will do. If we get 100 families, which would mean an addition of 500 to population this year, so much the better.

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